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Spring '60

NUT TREE NURSERIES

JOHN W. HERSHEY, Owner

Downingtown, Pa.

OUR TREES, OF 35 YEARS SELECTION, ARE PRETTIER THAN THE BRUSH YOUR NEIGHBOR PLANTED NEXT DOOR. BEAR BETTER CROPS.

"PLANT UNTIL YOUR PLANTED." A R. Y.



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This supersedes all prior prices quoted at any time. Make your slogan "BETTER THINGS FOR BETTER LIVING THRU LIVING THINGS."

Literature. See back page for list covering our work. CONSULTANTATIONS ON PLANTING BY APPOINTMENT. CALL AS YOU PLEASE, BUT DON'T BE DISAPPOINTED IF YOU CAN'T GET YOUR TREES. WE'RE A MAIL ORDER HOUSE AND CAN'T PROMISE TO DIG TO ORDER.

NOTE: If No Letter Accompanies This Catalog When Requested, it's not because of a disinterest, it's because I haven't steam to get everything done. wish I had. Please read the terms, and leaf through the catalog until you come to requested trees and I thank you.

This is NOT only a catalog of trees, it's a primer on "Better Things for Better Living through Living Things;" a guide for planting. No, we're not zealots. We simply offer an addition for America's "rough" farm lands, 'landscapes,' lawns, drives and fence rows.

WHAT WE'VE DONE: In 40 years we gained a few goals. We've produced the largest blocks of the finest selection of nut and crop trees to be found "ANYWHERE IN AMERICA:" In that time we've selected and introduced Hardv English, thin-shelled Black Walnut; American and Oriental Persimmons; Hickory, Pecans and Hicans. Mulberry, Honey Locusts and Persimmons for chicken, hog, cattle, poultry and wildlife feed. Also many others for beauty and to fill the pocketbook and belly; Mulberry varieties that stretch the bearing season for 3 months; American Persimmon varieties that supply Persimmons late August to the next March; Honey Locust pods pasturing cattle till January.

A shame BUT seems there's too few people wanting quality, they prefer being "took."

So, to get together on this here thing we're again gassing off; telling how good our trees are because we know how poor the "pitcher book" trees are, and we don't want to see you hooked.

Keep In Mind, our trees are **Only** for the **Superior** minds who are willing to work to get "hard to transplant trees grow. Don't gauge your ability by the many cabbages or evergreens you've grown.

If you refuse to follow my instructions; Don't plant. We need the business but NOT ULCERS from being lambasted for not solving your problems. I had only one stomach to give to my country, I gave it. Now—I'm enjoying life.

One of these days we're going out of the nursery business, and before we do, we wish you and all your neighbors would get your future nut and crop trees established on your lawn and fringe lands on your farm. Place your order early.

STOCK selected or marked by our customers in the nursery will be charged for according to its value, and higher than listed prices.

NOTE—LOCATION—4 miles Northwest of Downingtown at Guthrieville on U.S. Route 322 Horseshoe Pike). Turn north at stone school house $\frac{1}{4}$ mile past Guthrieville, third place on left. Coming from the West turn left second road past the old Manor Church. From super highway, get off at Downingtown, follow signs to Eagle, turn left at hotel, continue about $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles, see young nut grove on left, turn in, first farm on right. Via Downingtown, fill up at Sunoco gas and ask direction. **NO SUNDAY BUSINESS.**

TO OUR FRIENDS AND ENEMIES. To friends, we thank you for support. To enemies, for keeping us on our toes. Without friends no man can see success. Bankers supply credit, creditors confidence; our staff the brains and brawn; and the customer the "what it takes" to head into another year.

Let us continue to serve you. Thanks for your many good wishes and the same to you.

TERMS—Cash with order.

All prices f.o.b. Nursery. Orders up to \$5.00 of small size stock can be mailed. Add 20% for all orders to be prepaid. 25% West of Miss. **Minimum prepaid cost** for express \$2.45.

Extra charges on heavy or distant orders must be paid by the customer.

Our responsibility for transportation ceases when shipment has been delivered to the hands of the carrier (or transportation agency).

No order where an affidavit must accompany invoice will be considered for less than \$10.00.

PLEASE NOTE: We can not guarantee our trees to grow. Planting instructions are attached to the order. For cultural care send for 50¢ booklet.

THE HERSHEY WAY. This, folks is the starting at the beginning of—growing our trees in proper soil, organically managed. Then selection of seed for understock and scions to graft with.

Take advantage of quick production by setting out large healthy trees organically grown.

NEXT STEP—We cut the tops—the branches—in short "the brush" off them to balance with the roots sheared off in digging, to give them a chance to start for you. Then dip in a costly wax to keep them from drying out until started.

(CHESTNUTS) (Chinese) *Castanea Mollissima*

Sweet, delicious, Blight resistant.

Will not thrive on damp or heavy soils.

Set 40 x 40 feet for orchard, 28 per acre.

Plant two for pollination. Bears 3-5 years.

These are the finest, heavy calipered largest sized quality trees offered in America.

Note: Where doz. rates are listed, six sold at the doz rate.

A sprinkling of nuts cover the block.

They come so nearly true from seed, we recommend the planting of seedlings for home and commercial use. A large field awaits the use of the Chestnut for marketing and hog feed. I've planted 300.

One man reported his 21, 13-year-old trees bearing 1,836 lbs. Want in on it?

We're selling you lawn beauty and nuts or a good bank account in a commercial planting.



CHESTNUT SEEDLINGS FROM SELECT SEED

| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 12-15 in..... | \$.50 | \$ 5.00 | \$ 40.00 |
| 1- 2 ft..... | 1.00 | 10.00 | 70.00 |
| 2- 3 ft..... | 1.25 | 12.50 | 90.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | 1.75 | 17.50 | 125.00 |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 2.00 | 20.00 | 150.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 | 160.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 | 175.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 3.75 | 37.50 | 200.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 5.00 | 50.00 | 300.00 |
| 8-10 ft. Heavy..... | 6.00 | 60.00 | 380.00 |
| 10-12 ft. Heavy..... | 7.00 | 70.00 | 400.00 |
| Heavier 10-15 ft..... | 10.00 | 100.00 | 500.00 |

These latter sizes are 1½ to 2½ in. Calip. Beautiful stock. Will do fine with care. Bear early.

THOSE DRATTED GRAFTED CHESTNUT

Yes! They die just as you're ready to lift the mortgage. Our select seedlings live and bear.

Japanese Chestnuts—C. Crenata.

Good bearers. Large nuts. Poor flavor—Great game food.

| | Each |
|---------------|--------|
| 12-14 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 18-24 in..... | 2.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | 2.50 |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 3.00 |

GRAFTED THIN SHELLLED BLACK WALNUT

Juglan Nigra

The black walnut has been called the "king of the forest," my wife says it's the "Queen" of the kitchen. Nature has done the favor of supplying it in a thin shelled package, easily cracked. If you're tiring of the "rat race" of spending everything you make toward a "living," you can start choking the speed by planting nut trees on your lawn for lots of food, and plant plenty of black walnuts—they're the best.

Varieties

Thomas, the leader and all around nut.

Elmer Meyers, the more I see of this nut the better I like it. So's my customers. For those who like the Stabler, this will take its place—is as thin-shelled, better bearer, better kernel.

Ohio, most ornamental foliage. Best bearer with poor care.

Cornell, (my introduction) a new northern selection of Thomas seedling. Cornell says Cornell matures its nuts at Ithaca in cool summers when native trees fail. 7 ft. up only.

(Prices opposite Page)

| | Each | Dozen |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| 5- 6 ft..... | 5.50 | 55.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 5.75 | 57.50 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 6.50 | 65.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 7.00 | 70.00 |
| 10-12 ft..... | 8.00 | 80.00 |
| 10-12 ft..... Truck loading only..... | 10.00 | |

Stabler: This old and noted variety with thin shell-single kernel, a beautiful lawn tree but poor commercial bearer is offered for those who wish it.

6- 8 ft. (only).....\$6.50 each.

Cut Leaf—*Juglans Nigra Laciniata*—Keystone Variety

This rare and odd fern leafed Black Walnut is indeed something. The nut shows promise of being a real oddity also.

| | Each |
|--------------|-------|
| 6- 8 ft..... | 8.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 |

LAMB WALNUT: Supposed to be curly grained.

| | |
|-------------------|-------|
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 |
| 10-12, Heavy..... | 15.00 |

BUTTERNUT: *J. Cinera*. Select Seedlings. A pretty common cracker.

| | Each | Dozen | Hund. |
|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 2- 3 ft..... | \$ 1.25 | \$12.50 | \$80.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | 1.75 | 17.50 | 90.00 |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 2.00 | 20.00 | 98.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 2.50 | | |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 4.00 | 40.00 | |
| 8-10 ft..... | 5.00 | | |
| 10-12 ft. Heavy..... | 12.00 | | |

For truck loading only.

Grafted Butternut Varieties

Good cracker for butternut. Will substitute varieties if necessary. We've had the new experience and fun of every graft failing this spring. Glad at least we can offer older trees.

MY JOY: This is my latest find, nice supply.

| | Each | Doz. |
|---------------------|--------|---------|
| 5-7 ft..... | \$4.00 | \$40.00 |
| 7-10 ft. Heavy..... | 6.00 | 60.00 |

Love, Buckley, Craxezy:

| | |
|--------------|------|
| 2-3 ft..... | 3.00 |
| 4- 6 ft..... | 3.50 |
| 6- 8 ft..... | 4.50 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 6.00 |

ENG. OR PERSIAN WALNUT: (*Juglans Regia*)

Broadview Variety

Grafted on Black. Hardy as the black walnut. Originated in Russia. Stands 34 below. Nut large, attractive as the California nut. Bears in 5 to 7 years.

And the reported heavy bearing justifies our recommending it highly for a commercial orchard. Go to it. I have.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|---------|--------|
| 3- 5 ft..... | \$ 5.50 | \$ |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 6.50 | 65.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 8.00 | 80.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 10.00 | 100.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 11.00 | |

25% each off for hundred.

Be a creationist, not a dissipationist!

ASHWORTH: Eng., Carpathian, this is a grafted variety. Do not confuse it with seedlings below. Recommended only for north. Price same as for Broadview, Page 4, only two to a customer. (No 8-10 ft.)

Carpathian English Seedlings

Again we're tickled to offer a limited number of this marvelous strain. Tree stands next to a Broadview English we believe helps pollinate it, gives extra superiority.

| | Each | Dozen |
|---------------|--------|---------|
| | Each | Dozen |
| 10-15 in..... | \$2.00 | \$20.00 |
| 1- 2 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 |
| 2- 3 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |

Russian English Seedlings

| | Each |
|---------------|--------|
| 12-15 in..... | \$1.50 |
| 1- 2 ft..... | 2.00 |

PAW PAWS (*Asimina Triloba*)

Here's where I feel chesty. After 35 years of continual trying, I have the secret of easily transplanting paw paw, it's exciting—thrilling, try it. Use 25% teralite mixed with the soil in the hole. Keep watered and mulched; they'll grow. Ours are.

Proud to offer seedlings of the Fairchilds-Zimmerman selections. Plant two for pollination.

| | Each | Each Dozen |
|-------------------------------------|--------|---------------|
| 2 yr. dandy seedlings, 8-12 in..... | \$2.50 | \$25.00 |
| 18-20 in..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |

Remember: Don't plant unless you use vermiculite with the soil. Keep well watered, too.

FILBERT SEEDLINGS, Superior to layered ones.

(*Corylus Avelan & Americana*)

In 35 years I've found this in the corylus family. Seedlings of certain varieties come nearly true to seed.

Marvelous for hedges, (set 8 ft. apart) wind breaks lawn or field corner clumps. Kids, adults, wildlife all do well on them.

HAZELS: Rush or Winkler seedlings.

Remember these are smaller than filberts, hardier, higher flavored nut, surer bearer. Recommended where filberts "winter kill" or in the middle south where filberts sun burn. Excellent for small game birds.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| 2-3 ft..... | \$1.00 | \$10.00 |
| 3-4 ft..... | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| 3-4 ft. Heavy..... | 1.75 | 17.50 |
| 4-5 ft..... | 2.00 | 20.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 |
| 6-7 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |

WINKLER AND RUSH HAZEL LAYERS:

Just a limited number for planters wanting botanical exactness.

| | Each |
|-------------|--------|
| 3-4 ft..... | \$2.50 |
| 4-5 ft..... | 2.75 |

Caryopteris: A 4 to 6 ft. bush; beautiful. Aug.-Sept. bloomer. Lasts 3 weeks cut. Each rate only \$2.75.

Chinese Beautyberry: A 3 ft. bush. Bears purple autumn berries in pendulous ropes. Each rate only \$2.75.

People tell me their house sold for a thousand more because of our nut trees on their lawn.

JUJUBE—CHINESE DATE: *Zizyphus, Jujuba.*

This exotic ornamental from the distant, dry lands of China, is a shiny, small leafed, small and narrow-headed lawn attraction. Fruit: oblong to round; cooks somewhat like a tart apple. Dries, tastes somewhat like a date, with a sub-acid twang and similar seed. No disease or insect damage to date. A real fruit tree for one dreading the lethal sprays of today. Try one or two. Some say they are self-pollinating.

Bears 3-4 years.

Lang, Li, Tusoa varieties. Plant two for pollination.

Only a few Tusoa.

| | Each | Dozen |
|-------------------|--------|---------|
| Nice, 3-5 ft..... | \$4.00 | \$40.00 |

SHAGBARK HICKORY HYBRIDS

(*Hickoria Ovata X Cordiformis*)

These are really fast growing, sharp stiff foliage, dark green. Nut white, smooth thin shelled. Bears 5-6 years.

Fairbanks: The fastest grower, can pace a maple any day, narrow, columnar. Up to 7 ft. only.

STRATFORD: Nut sweeter, not as thin shelled, foliage resembles shagbark somewhat. Slower growing than Fairbanks. Ripens earlier. Recommended for far north, New York, New England and mid-west.

| | Each |
|-------------|---------|
| 3-4 ft..... | \$ 6.50 |
| 4-5 ft..... | 7.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 10.00 |
| 6-7 ft..... | 12.00 |
| 7-8 ft..... | 15.00 |

RED BUD (*Cercis Canadensis*)

As America becomes more conscious of native plants the Red Bud is receiving greater respect, with its purple, rope-like branches of flowers. Maximum height 15 ft.

| | Each | Dozen |
|---------------------|------|-------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | 1.75 | 17.50 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 |
| 6- 7 ft. Heavy..... | 5.00 | 50.00 |
| 7-10 ft. Heavy..... | 7.00 | 70.00 |

WHITE RED BUD. (*C. Canadensis Alba*)

The most gorgeous "angel like" white you ever saw—"add a million" to your lawn!

| | Each |
|-------------|--------|
| 4-5 ft..... | \$5.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 6.00 |

HARDY NORTHERN PECAN (*H. Oliviformis*)

Marvelous for lawns, very ornamental. Bears in 7 to 10 years.

These varieties selected over many years of observation as the best. Scarce, may have to sub. size or var. req'd.

Greenriver, Indiana and Busseron, plant two for pollination.

All northern varieties scarce.

| | Each |
|-------------------------|---------|
| 3-5 ft. Very light..... | \$ 8.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 10.00 |

HICAN: Burton var. Sold out for spring.

Remember: See Back Page for Prices on Nuts.

FORAGE TREES: Trees that fatten **Man, Woman, Domestic and Wild Animals** with beauty.

AMERICAN BEECH (*Fagus Americana*)

2-3 ft....Ea. \$1.00 Doz.. \$10.00 Hund...\$75.00

SUGAR MAPLE (*Acer Saccharum*)

A leading long lived ornamental.

This remarkable crop tree, the source of the finest sugar and sirup in the world.

It is most beautiful, drought resistant and rapid growing. The only reason YOU haven't tapped your few trees is because it wasn't brought to your attention in our fast moving socieity.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|---------|---------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | \$ 1.50 | \$15.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |
| 6- 8 ft..... | 5.00 | 50.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 | |

HONEY LOCUST (Thornless) (*My Introduction*)

(*Gleditsia triacanthos inermis*) Sweet pods for cattle feed.

Bears 3-5 years. Famous for growth value.

REMEMBER do not confuse with seedlings. To grow sweet pods grafted vars. MUST be planted.

The agricultural Experiment Station at Auburn, Alabama reports their 8 year trees bore, figured in oats value with 20 trees per acre equal 125 bushels per acre, plus a crop of hay or pasture without cost of annual field preparation, planting and harvesting. Mature trees will grow as much as 300 bushels of Oats food value per acre.

Millwood

Smith—More hardy for northern planting.

Schofer—Originating at Pennsburg, Pa. is 500 miles farther north than the home of other varieties. Hence it's possibilities in hardiness.

| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 3- 4 ft..... | \$2.75 | \$27.50 | \$150.00 |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 | 175.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 3.25 | 32.50 | 200.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 3.50 | 35.00 | 225.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 4.00 | 40.00 | 300.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 5.00 | 50.00 | 350.00 |
| 10-12 ft., 1½ to 2 in..... | 6.00 | 60.00 | |

THE OAKS. *Our strain introduction.*

Sweet acorn strain. Rapid growing selections

The White Oak. (*Quercus Alba*)

Just 25 years ago I started a simple selection work on the Wm. Penn White Oaks. In two years I was getting answers. Found strains of beautifully upright timber conformation, that grow as rapidly as the maple.

I'm the only one "living" who's DONE anything in collecting SWEET acorn oak in a block of grafted and select strains for future forage. Only source available for the chinquapin or turkey oak and few grow the burr oak. For the adventurer who loves excitement in plant exploration, plant these and note the Ohs! and Ahs! from your friends as the trees expand in beauty.

BURR OAK (*Q. Macrocarpa*)

CHINQUAPIN OAK (*Q. Muehlenbergii*)

TURKEY OAK (*Q. Cerris*)

Ornamental description.

Burr: Terrifically fast upright grower. Foliage, large leafed of rich dark green. Places well among other foliage in autmn for its deep gree contrast. Timber rates with white. Fruit large, sweet, cup oddly whiskered.

(Description continued on next page)

Chinquapin: Rapid grower, upright. Foliage small, chestnut shaped, turns rich yellow with autumn. Fruit so small a quail can eat. Sweet. Sold out.

Turkey Oak: Fast growing spreading, leans to crooked rustic affect. Foliage scalloped, rich deep green till heavy freezes cuts down.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|------|-------|
| 1- 2 ft..... | 1.50 | 15.00 |
| 2- 3 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | 3.50 | |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 4.00 | |

WHITE OAK: Lots of these.

| | Each |
|---------------|---------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | \$ 3.75 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 6.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 8.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 |
| 10-12 ft..... | 12.00 |

Pears—Blight Resistant, Budded.

Here's a family selection.

Maxine—Resembles Bartlett—excellent. And never known to blight.

Worden Seckel—about three-fourths size of Bartlett, flavor Seckel.

| | Each | Dozen |
|---|------|-------|
| Duchess —A delightful Fall pear. | | |
| 5-6 ft..... | 2.75 | 27.50 |
| 6-7 ft. heavy..... | 3.25 | 32.50 |
| 7-8 ft..... | 4.00 | |

ORIENT: A new high quality pear from the south. Mine hasn't borne yet. Strong 2 year. \$5.00 each.

Amelanchier

Juneberry—plant two for pollination

Anyone who wasn't raised with the pleasures of filling up on Juneberries as a kid-enjoyed the early beauty of the first-snowy glow of spring bloom—the rich color of their fruit, never lived.

Birds bother your peas? Plant Juneberry bush and trees. THEY FEED the birds while you can your peas.

Often known as Shadberry, Juneberry, or Servisberry

Bird feed, chicken feed, for dessert, ornamental.

| | Each | Dozen |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Stolenifera — Bush | | |
| 3-5 ft..... | \$1.00 | \$10.00 |
| 5-6 ft. heavy..... | 5.00 | |
| 6-7 ft. heavy..... | 5.00 | |

Tree Form Amelanchier

A. Laevis and Canadensis

Will substitute one for the other to fill order.

Fruit, richer, tastier than bush. Bloom a white cloud in spring.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|------|-------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | 2.00 | 20.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 5.00 | 50.00 |
| 7-10 ft..... | 7.00 | 70.00 |

Persimmon: Date Plum. *Diospyros Virginiana*

If you don't know these magnificent summer foliaged and colored fruit for autumn effect you're behind in landscaping. Hurry.

Josephine, ripens fruit after the middle of September. Sweet, delicious, yellow.

Early Golden, comes in a few days later, slightly larger, yellow.

Garretson: An October ripener. Probably the sweetest of them all. Recommended by the Geneva experimental station as the best for far north. Sold out.

Kitch: Ripe December 1st, small but delicious. This is the prune of the persimmon world. Dries on tree. So high in sugar content you can see the crystals when you break the flesh. Hangs all winter, slowly dropping to the middle of March. Greatest game food you ever saw.

| | Each |
|-------------|--------|
| 2-3 ft..... | \$3.00 |
| 3-4 ft..... | 3.25 |
| 4-5 ft..... | 3.50 |

MALE: Recommended only where no natural persimmons exist.

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|-------------|--------|
| 4-6 ft..... | \$8.00 |
|-------------|--------|

Chinese Persimmons (*D. Kiki* Okame - Peiping - Great Wall

And now folks I'm able to offer these excellent, marvelous wonders of Oriental horticulture. You know those large ones you like to buy on the market. These are grafted high to prevent frost burst at ground.

Not recommended hardy north of Southern Penna., Jersey, L. I. and southern Ohio, west.

N' remember these are only for the real lover of growing rare plants—who feel he and a plant are one.

| | Each |
|-------------|--------|
| 3-4 ft..... | \$6.00 |
| 4-5 ft..... | 6.75 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 7.25 |

Just a few specimens for balling—local trade only.

Mulberry (*Morus*) Grafted.

Our shoats were on half feed during the whole mulberry season; sheep love them, roosters lead the hens to them each morning with a sales talk on laying eggs on a cooling, high sugar fruit diet. Birds are a riot every day in the grove detracting their attention from OUR foods.

Squirrels and even crows come to the table. GET ON THAT NATURE BALANCE—let your mulberry feed your birds while YOUR cherries are ripening to preserve.

Capsrun—This is a large fruited everbearer. Hardy, very sweet fruit.

REICHERT—A new hardy everbearing from S.E. Penna. Fruit about same as Hicks but tree more hardy.

ILLINOIS EVERBEARER: Been testing this with friends for a dozen years. Flavor as high as Hicks, the queen of all mulberry flavors. Enormous in size, long bearer. Sold out, order for fall delivery.

Hoopess White—A dandy, pink cheeked, very sweet.

| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|--------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 3- 5 ft..... | \$3.00 | \$30.00 | \$150.00 |
| 5- 7 ft..... | 3.50 | 35.00 | 175.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 4.50 | 45.00 | 250.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 6.00 | 60.00 | 300.00 |

SPECIMEN SIZE MULBERRIES: Quoted on request.

Mulberry, weeping. Hardy; a beauty for lawn.

| | |
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| 4-6 ft..... | \$10.00 each |
|-------------|--------------|

Tree Black Berries

This new and interesting blackberry 18 ft. high, bear 7 tons per acre. Fruit large, sweet, delicious. With a flavor a yard long AND wide. 2 bushes supplies all the fruit a small family needs for 6 weeks.

| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| Strong one yr. canes..... | \$1.00 | \$10.00 | \$50.00 |
| Heavy 2 yr. canes..... | 1.25 | 12.50 | 65.00 |
| Extra heavy..... | 1.50 | 15.00 | 80.00 |

Know what? A house depreciates 10% annually, the lawn trees appreciate 20%.

FOR ORNAMENTAL BIRD FOOD

I offer the BEST in ornamentals. A bird tree is one with thick dense foliage where birds can nest and roost free from predators. The fruit, foliage and design of our selections are extremely beautiful. Put your "raming around" money in such plantings and the family will think their home their heaven and stay to enjoy it. It's the economics of God and no mistake.

BUSH HONEYSUCKLE—Maacki

Folks this is one of the real Bush Honeysuckles. We have it shading our cave and is a glowing show of red berries fall till January. For real beauty with bird feed this is it. Grows 15-18 ft. Try a few. Bird food trees means insect control. Singing birds make singing people. Try it.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|
| Heavy bushes 4-5 ft..... | \$2.50 | \$25.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |
| Extra Heavy 6-8 ft..... | 5.00 | |

FLOWERING CRAB

Beautiful pink flowers. Beautiful fruit.

Fruit makes the best jelly this side of heaven.

Hopa variety.

| | Each | Dozen |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | \$2.25 | \$22.50 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 2.75 | 27.50 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 3.50 | 35.00 |
| 7- 8 ft. Bearing..... | 4.50 | 45.00 |
| 8-10 Bearing..... | 5.00 | 50.00 |

NOTE: \$3.50 extra we'll ball these beauties for you. Truck loading only.

Dogwood, Native White Flowering (*Cornus Florida*)

We have the finest stock in America.

| Use 25% sawdust in hole. | Each | Dozen |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|
| 4-5 ft..... | \$2.50 | \$25.00 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 3.25 | 32.50 |
| 6-7 ft..... | 4.00 | |
| 7-8 ft..... | 6.00 | 60.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 | |

RED DOGWOOD: Cherokee Chief. Patented. The Richest beauty of them all.

12-18 in.....\$3.00

Washington Hawthorn. *Crataegus Cordata*. This gorgeous decorator flowers white June 1st, red berries glow in the sun up to January 1st or later in a solid mass. Bird food all winter. Plant two for pollination.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|--------|---------|
| 2- 3 ft..... | \$2.50 | \$25.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | 3.00 | 30.00 |
| 4- 5 ft..... | 3.50 | 35.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 4.25 | 42.50 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 5.00 | 50.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 5.50 | 55.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 7.00 | |

NOTE: Balling \$3.50 extra. Ask for specimen list.

Mt. Ash (*Sorbus Aucuparia*) (*Sortus Americana*)

One of the most beautiful small lawn ornamentals. Their attractive fruit grow in large clusters. Not only decorate the home landscape but feed birds, especially quail and pheasants. Must plant 2 for pollination.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------|--------|---------|
| 4- 5 ft..... | \$3.00 | \$30.00 |
| 5- 6 ft..... | 3.50 | 35.00 |
| 6- 7 ft..... | 4.00 | 40.00 |
| 7- 8 ft..... | 6.00 | 60.00 |
| 8-10 ft..... | 10.00 | |

Silver Bell (*Halesia Carolina*) Snow drop tree

Try a few. Bloom a small bell like flower in such profusion, tree resembles a cloud of snow. It's just a short, probalby 25-30 ft. grower.

| | Each |
|------------------------|--------|
| 4-5 ft., blooming..... | \$4.50 |
| 5-6 ft., blooming..... | 5.50 |

Russian Olive (*Eleagnus Angustifolia*)

Gray attractive foliage all summer and miniature olives in fall make it odd and attractive. Excellent for birds and chicken feed. Plant two for pollination.

| | Each | Dozen |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| 2-3 ft..... | \$2.25 | \$22.50 |
| 5-6 ft..... | 3.50 | |
| 6-7 ft. heavy..... | 4.50 | |
| 7-8 ft..... | 5.50 | |

Larger sizes on specimen list.

Viburnum (*Lentago*) (*Black Hw*)

We like this bush all summer because of its leathery, shining foliage.

Its flowers in late spring extend the spring blooming beauty. Its bunches of blue black sweet fruit nodding in the breezes hangs till January, attracts birds by the hundred—children by the dozen. Plant with 25% sawdust. Height 15-18 ft.

VIBURNUM (*Opulus-Americana*)
(**Highbush Cranberry**)

This richly colored red fruited bush glows gorgeously in the autumn and winter sun. Fruit will hang to early winter if birds don't eat them all. Height 12-15 ft. Plant with 25% sawdust in the hole.

Plant two of same species for pollination.

| | Each | Dozen |
|-------------|--------|---------|
| 2-3 ft..... | \$1.75 | \$17.50 |
| 3-4 ft..... | 2.00 | |
| 5-6 ft..... | 3.50 | |

A few picture book specimens can ball for local trade.

Golden Weeping Willow

The most hardy, the most beautiful of all weeping willows. For fish feed set by the pond and stream. Their insect pests are great fish food. Try them.

| | Each |
|---------------|---------|
| 5- 7 ft..... | \$ 4.00 |
| 7-10 ft..... | 5.00 |
| 10-12 ft..... | 10.00 |

BLUEBERRIES BLUEBERRIES

(*Vactinium Corymbosum*)

HIGH BUSH**Home Grown Blueberries As You Like Them**

FAMILY REQUIREMENTS: Six for two. Double the number for the birds, and children.

DISTANCE TO PLANT: Five to six feet apart on row. Rows ten feet apart. How many can you use? Six sold at the dozen rate.

CULTURAL CARE: Remember they **must** have light soil and a heavy mulch. If weeds come through pull them.

PLANTING: It's a good thing to mix the soil 50-50. Peat-leaf mold and sawdust.

STANLEY, DIXIE, JERSEY

These are nice plants priced for mail order trade. Plant a lot and let them grow.

| | Each | Dozen |
|-------------------|--------|---------|
| 12-18 inches..... | \$.90 | \$ 9.00 |
| 2- 3 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 |
| 2- 3 ft..... | 2.50 | 25.00 |

| | Each | Dozen |
|---|------|-------|
| Heavy bearing plants. Jersey-Stanley ... | 6.00 | 60.00 |

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| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 2- 3 ft..... | \$.40 | \$ 4.00 | \$ 20.00 |
| 3- 4 ft..... | .50 | 5.00 | 30.00 |
| 8-10 ft. Heavy..... | 5.00 | | |
| 10-15 ft. Really trees..... | 10.00 | | |

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Cuttings.....\$10.00

Set 8 x 8 or 10 x 10 in fresh cut wood lots OR fields.

THE SYMPHORICARPUS VULGARIS—Coralberry, known as Red Snowberry or Indian Currant.

| | Each | Dozen | Hundred |
|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| 2-3 feet..... | \$.75 | \$ 7.50 | \$75.00 |
| Heavy bushes..... | 1.00 | 10.00 | |

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